

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Taizo AKIMOTO

Appln. No.: 09/749,752

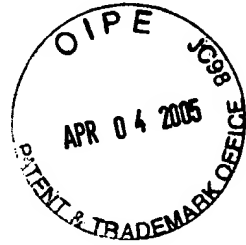
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For: TEST PIECE, ANALYSIS METHOD USING THE TEST PIECE, AND ANALYSIS SYSTEM USED FOR THE METHOD

**REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING**

**MAIL STOP APPEAL BRIEF - PATENTS**

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Appellant hereby requests an Oral Hearing in the above-identified application before the Patent and Trademark Office Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.

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